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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: SASAHARA ET AL.  
Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
Application No.: 10/676,071  
Filed: 10/02/2003  
Art Unit: 2895  
Examiner: EDWARD WOJCIECHOWICZ  
Docket No.: B-0301T

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Submitted: March 05, 2009

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2008,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.